

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the Specification as follows:

Page 26, two consecutive paragraphs starting at line 8:

Specifically, the examination by the examiner P1 is performed with the data having been copied from the master database 10a into the parts integration database 20a. In addition, when the approval for the integration of the existing parts and the new parts is determined by the authorized approver P2, the integrated parts data is provided by updating the new parts data and/or the existing parts-related data in the master database 10a on the basis of the data on the approval for the integration. Thus, a situation may be prevented, in which a change of the data on the parts that are being under examination into the integrated parts data occurs by updating from some causes (mistakes in operation by the examiner ~~P2~~ P1, and other causes, for instance) without receiving the approval of the authorized approver ~~P3~~ P2.

In addition, the examination by the examiner ~~P2~~ P1 follows the extraction of the parts-related data having been newly recorded in the master database 10a within a certain period of time, and as a result, the examination at regular intervals may be ensured.